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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2004, be extended for a period of three (3) months from September 15, 2004 to and including December 15, 2004, for the sole purpose of maintaining this application so that a co-pending continuation-in-part patent application may be filed on or before December 15, 2004, and properly claim priority to the above-identified patent application.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,020.00. Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

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